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TAGS: PEPR MNUC PK FR US

SUBJ: PAKISTAN REPROCESSING

1. SECRETARY'S MORNING SUMMARY JULY 8 CONTAINS ANALYTICAL
PIECE WHICH CASTS DOUBT ON WHETHER THE FRENCH ARE PREPARED
TO PROCEED WITH PAKISTANI REPROCESSING CONTRACT IN MANNER
WHICH WE HAVE BEEN TOLD BY THEM THAT THEY WOULD. ANALYSIS
LEADS TO CONCLUSION THAT FRANCE MAY EVENTUALLY GO AHEAD
WITH THIS DEAL.

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2. WHILE IT IS MY UNDERSTANDING THAT FRENCH HAVE NEVER
TOLD US THAT THEY WOULD IN FACT CANCEL CONTRACT, I HAVE
BEEN WORKING UNDER IMPRESSION THAT THEY WOULD TAKE FIRM
STEPS WHICH WOULD HAVE SAME EFFECT AS CANCELLATION AND
WHICH WOULD ENABLE US TO LIFT OUR PRESENT HOLD ON ASSISTANCE
TO PAKISTAN.

3. I WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING FROM YOU BY THE TIME I
DEPART TEHRAN TUESDAY MORNING FURTHER UPDATE, INCLUDING IF
POSSIBLE NEA, EUR AND EMBASSY PARIS VIEWS OF CURRENT FRENCH
INTENTIONS.

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